

Dear FCC,

This letter is to ask you to reconsider expanding the LPFM service as you are currently proposing. Such an action would jeopardize existing stations in the K-LOVE network. This network is very important for several reasons. It ties all our listeners together and allows us to communicate and receive news and information from all over the globe. This is so important for the members of our armed services and representatives of our community traveling abroad, as it brings a little piece of home to them. It encourages us to think about global ramifications of issues, and make our world a better place. It provides information about local events and activities that we could not find out about otherwise. Many of these are benefits that allow us to improve the life of people in our community. It allows us to share music and stories that encourage us on an individual basis, and draw closer to our friends and neighbors that also listen. A local broadcaster could not tie us together in these ways. Their station would be limited to a small area, and we would not be exposed to the rest of the world in the same way KLOVE can do.